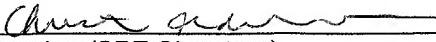


<p>Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary</p>	Application No.	Applicant(s) WATANABE, MASAHIRO
Examiner Christina Ildebrando	Examiner Art Unit 1725	
All Participants: (1) <u>Christina Ildebrando</u> . (2) <u>Joyce Von Natzmer</u> . Date of Interview: <u>16 October 2003</u> Type of Interview: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic <input type="checkbox"/> Video Conference <input type="checkbox"/> Personal (Copy given to: <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant's representative)		
Status of Application: <u>Amendment after Non-Final Rejection</u> (3) _____. (4) _____. Time: _____		
Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If Yes, provide a brief description:		
Part I. Rejection(s) discussed: Claims discussed: 3-4		
Prior art documents discussed:		
Part II. SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED: <i>See Continuation Sheet</i>		
Part III. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability. <input type="checkbox"/> It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.		
 (Examiner/SPE Signature)		_____ (Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: Claims 3-4 were amended, placing the application in condition for allowance. The amendments were proposed to correct claim dependencies. Applicant's representative agreed to the changes, to be made by examiner's amendment. A copy of the agreed upon changes can be found in the attached examiner's amendment..